	MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Proctor
-	I checked with who is
	already up to speed on NOIWON. The system
	has been activated three times so far for
	test purposes. As the memo requests, Paul
	will touch base with IC Staffer
	BC (file IC)
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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Intelligence

SUBJECT:

Implementation of the National Operations and Intelligence Watch Officers Net (NOIWON)

- 1. The establishment of the National Operations and Intelligence Watch Officers Net (NOIWON) is a basic element of our concept for a Current/Crisis Information System. This concept, at the direction of Mr. Colby and Dr. Schlesinger, has been briefed to the major intelligence producers and consumers including:
 - a. Department of State (Mr. Cline)
 - b. J-3/NMCC (M/Gen Pauley and M/Gen Steinkraus)
 - c. DIA (VADM de Poix and 🖵
 - d. CIA (Dr. Proctor and Mr. Duckett)
 - e. NSA
 - f. White House (Mr. Marshall and Mr. McManis)
 - g. ASD(I) (Dr. Hall)
- 2. The above recipients of the briefing have all concurred in the desirability of the NOIWON. The physical network has been established on the 'grey phone' system with the bridge at NSA (NSOC) with the concurrence of to Gen. Allen, dtd 2 July 73). (see Ltr fr
- 3. The NOIWON will consist of the watch officers of State Ops Center, NMCC, DIA (NMIC), CIA Ops Center and NSA (NSOC). The White House Situation Room will be added after proper communications are arranged.
- 4. The steps in establishing the NOIWON are contemplated as follows:

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5X1	a. The Current/Crisis Information System brief- ing will be given by DCI/IC/PRG to the watch officers designated to be members of the NOIWON (para. 1a-e, above)	25X1
	b. Circulate the <u>net set-up</u> procedures to be furnished by NSA	25X1
	c. Circulate materials for introducing and testing conferencing procedures to be furnished by DCI/IC/PRG	25X1
	d. Create a mutually agreeable schedule which will periodically establish the NOIWON for routine exchange of information.	
	5. We request your cooperation in this effort to establish the NOIWON. My point of contact for this information will be	25X1
5X1	who will be available for questions on the NOIWON procedures.	25X1
	Lew Allen, Jr.	
	Major General, USAF	
	Deputy to the DCI for the Intelligence	

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Major General Lew Allen, Jr., USAF
Deputy Director, Central Intelligence
Agency for Intelligence Community
Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Lew:

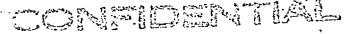
I'm pleased that the NSA gray phone conferencing system will meet the Community's present needs. NSA will gladly operate and maintain the system in support of the Community. My only concern regarding the latter point is the potential impact on the Senior Operations Officers in our National SIGINT Operations Center (NSOC) who will exercise operational control at NSA. I hope the Community's requirements for conferencing will be limited, at least initially, to truly significant or time-critical actions or the needs of fairly senior personnel.

My representative for developing end both		
conferencing procedures is		
gray). Pursuant to your request (DCI/IC 73-0495, dated	•	
gray). Fulsdant to your request, directly.		
5 June), will contact directly.		
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Sincerely,

SAMUEL C. PHILLIPS
Lt General, USAF
Director

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